WHEREAS, South Dakota wishes to ensure the quality of its environment for this and for future generations; and,

WHEREAS, litter is a health and safety hazard and destroys the natural beauty of our area; and,

WHEREAS, as part of their continuing effort to end the land pollution caused by littering, the Boy Scouts of America and Keep America Beautiful, Inc., are sponsoring a nationwide litter cleanup program on June 5, 1971, to give the environment a second chance:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 5, 1971, as

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and urge all citizens of South Dakota, young and old, to take part in this program and to make litter-prevention a daily habit from this date forward.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 28th day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-one.

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE